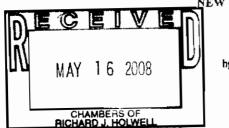
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Re: Jalapa Shipping Limited v. Sundersons Ltd., et al.

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Dear Judge Holwell:

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We are counsel for plaintiff Jalapa Shipping Limited in this matter.

Plaintiff, with the defendants' consent, respectfully requests a modification of the briefing and argument schedule in regard to defendants' motion to vacate maritime attachment. This is plaintiff's first request. Currently, plaintiff's memorandum in opposition is due on May 16, 2008, defendants' reply, if any, is due on May 30, 2008, and oral argument is scheduled for June 16, 2008.

Plaintiff requests a three-day extension to the briefing schedule, whereby plaintiff's opposition will be due on May 21, 2008, and defendants' reply will be due on June 4, 2008. In addition, due to a previously-scheduled overseas business trip, plaintiff requests that oral argument on this motion be rescheduled during the week of June 23, 2008 or as soon as possible thereafter, excluding the afternoon of June 24, 2008.

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We thank the Court in advance for its consideration of this request.

Respectfully,

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